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### REMARKS

In the Miscellaneous Action, the Examiner indicates that the reply filed May 22, 2003 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because the amendment to the specification was not presented in an acceptable format. Applicant has reformatted the amended specification beginning on page 1, line 6 and ending on page 2, line 30 to comply with the new Patent Office amendment standards. No new matter has been introduced.

### CONCLUSION

Applicant has amended the specification as suggested by the Examiner. Early allowance of all pending claims is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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